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ABSTRACT OF THE INVENTION

Disclosed are compounds of formula (I)

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
R^2 \\
H \\
N \\
N \\
R^1
\end{array}$$

which are inhibitors of the beta-secretase enzyme and that are useful in the treatment or prevention of diseases in which the beta-secretase enzyme is involved, such as Alzheimer's disease and pharmaceutical compositions comprising these compounds and the use of these compounds and compositions in the prevention or treatment of such diseases in which the beta-secretase enzyme is involved.